

LOS ANGELES RIVER PARKWAY
and
SAN GABRIEL WATERSHED, SAN GABRIEL RIVER WATERSHED
AND LOWER LOS ANGELES RIVER

GRANT PROGRAM GUIDES RELEASED

Safe Neighborhood Parks, Clean Water, Clean Air and Coastal Protection Bond Act 2000

The State of California's Resources Agency is pleased to announce the release of Grant Guides for two competitive grant programs: the Los Angeles River Parkway Grant Program and the San Gabriel River Watershed, San Gabriel Mountains and Lower Los Angeles River Grant Program. The programs are administered by the Agency to provide funds for river parkways and stream restoration projects that will provide "open space, non-motorized trails, bike paths, and other low impact recreational uses and wildlife habitat restoration and protection."

The guides and maps of the geographic areas covered by these programs are available on the Agency website at www.resources.ca.gov/bond/.

Amount of Funds Available: \$ 9.3 million (Los Angeles River Parkway)

These are one-time allocations.

\$13.9 million (San Gabriel River Watershed, San Gabriel Mountains and Lower Los Angeles River)

Application Deadline: July 3, 2002

Project Completion Deadline: May 1, 2007

Eligible Projects: Grant funds are awarded competitively for projects that qualify in the following areas: Rivers and Streams Projects (acquisition, enhancement and restoration of riparian habitat); River Parkway Acquisition and Restoration Projects (acquisition or enhancement); Rivers and Streams Trail Projects (acquisition or development to improve access, create linkages, or provide visitor amenities); and Projects to maintain or enhance the environmental characteristics of a stream or restore a stream to a more naturally functioning state as part of flood management or erosion control efforts.

Eligible Applicants: Cities; counties; regional park or open-space districts; recreation and park districts formed under the Public Resources Code; any community or unincorporated region that is not included within a district and in which no city or county provides parks or recreational areas or facilities (with additional criteria as defined in the Grant Guides); local agencies formed for park purposes pursuant to a Joint Powers Agreement between two or more local entities, except a school district; and federally recognized California Indian tribes.

For more information, please visit the Resources Agency web site at www.resources.ca.gov/bond/ or contact Susan Ross, Grants Administrator at (916) 653-5656 or via email at susan.ross@resources.ca.gov.

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